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(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
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Customer No. 30827

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For: MULTI-DOMAIN LIQUID CRYSTAL
DISPLAY DEVICE

Examiner: Michael B. Cleveland

Mail Stop Petition

Commissioner for Patents
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**PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.181(A)**

Applicant respectfully files this Petition for Withdrawal of Holding of Abandonment in response to the Notice of Improper Request for Continued Examination (RCE) mailed on September 2, 2005.

Applicant filed an RCE on August 8, 2005, which included a submission of an Information Disclosure Statement (IDS), after the Final Office Action mailed on March 7, 2005.

The Notice incorrectly indicated that the RCE was filed before prosecution was closed; however, Applicant notes that the Final Office Action closes prosecution, and thus the RCE with the submission of an IDS filed on August 8, 2005 was in fact proper.

In addition, Applicant notes that the Notice was mailed to the incorrect law firm. Thus, Applicant's representative, McKenna Long & Aldridge, Customer No. 30827, did not receive the Notice until September 23, 2005. Applicant includes a copy of the Notice with the stamped date of receipt as evidence.

Accordingly, Applicant respectfully petitions the office to withdraw any Holding of Abandonment of this case, properly enter the RCE and IDS, and consider the references submitted therein.

The Examiner is invited to call the undersigned at (202) 496-7500 to discuss steps necessary for placing the application in condition for allowance.


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If these papers are not considered timely filed by the Patent and Trademark Office, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, and any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 for any necessary extension of time, or any other fees required to complete the filing of this response, may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0911. Please credit any overpayment to deposit Account No. 50-0911. *A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.*

Respectfully submitted,

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